



PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 8049.0001-00

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Leo J. CAMPBELL et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2134  
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Application No.: 09/675,677 ) Examiner: BROWN, Christopher J.  
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Filed: September 29, 2000 )  
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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR ) Confirmation No.: 1495  
AUTHENTICATING AN )  
ELECTRONIC MESSAGE )  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a three month extension of time to file a reply to the Office  
Action mailed October 19, 2006, extending the period for reply through April 19, 2007.  
A fee of \$1,020.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached  
reply and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: April 19, 2007

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